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TITLE 3—THE PRESIDENT

EXECUTIVE ORDER 10179

ESTABLISHING THE KOREAN SERVICE MEDAL

By virtue of the authority vested in me as President of the United States and as Commander in Chief of the armed forces of the United States, it is ordered as follows:

1. There is hereby established the Korean Service Medal, with suitable appurtenances, for award, under such regulations as the Secretaries of the Army, Navy, and Air Force may severally prescribe, and subject to the provisions of this order, to members of the armed forces of the United States who during any period between June 27, 1950, inclusive, and a terminal date to be fixed by the Secretary of Defense shall have served within the area or areas of military operations in the Korean theater.

2. The regulations prescribed by the Secretaries of the Army, Navy, and Air Force pursuant to paragraph 1 hereof shall be uniform so far as practicable and shall be approved by the Secretary of Defense.

3. The term "Korean theater" as used in paragraph 1 hereof, shall be defined in the regulations prescribed pursuant to the said paragraph.

4. No person shall be entitled to more than one award of the Korean Service Medal.

5. The Korean Service Medal may be awarded posthumously.

HARRY S. TRUMAN

THE WHITE HOUSE,
November 8, 1950.

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TITLE 5—ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

Chapter I—Civil Service Commission

MISCELLANEOUS AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER

The following miscellaneous amendments to this title and chapter are effective December 29, 1950:

PART 9—SEPARATIONS, SUSPENSIONS AND DEMOTIONS

Subparagraph (2) of § 9.102 (a) is revoked.

(R. S. 1753, sec. 2, 22 Stat. 403, as amended; 5 U. S. C. and Sup., 631, 633)

PART 20—RETENTION PREFERENCE REGULATIONS FOR USE IN REDUCTIONS IN FORCE

1. Paragraphs (b) and (d) of § 20.2 are amended to read as follows:

§ 20.2 *Definitions.* For the purpose of the regulations in this part definitions are given for words, terms and phrases as follows:

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(b) "Retention credits" are credits given for length of Federal Government service and performance ratings of "Satisfactory" or better.

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(d) "Performance rating" means the current official performance rating under a performance rating plan which has been approved by the Civil Service Commission.

2. Paragraph (b) of § 20.13 is amended to read as follows:

§ 20.13 *Appeals.* * * *

(b) The Commission will not consider the correctness of a performance rating as a basis for appeal under the regulations in this part unless the appellant is a permanent or war service indefinite preference eligible, the rating appealed is less than "Satisfactory," there is no performance rating board of review established under section 7 of the Performance Rating Act of 1950, to which he can appeal, and diligent use has been made of administrative appeals procedures or justification is given for failure to use such procedures. Consideration of such appeals shall be limited to ascertaining whether the performance rating should be "less than 'Satisfactory'" or "'Satisfactory' or better." (Sec. 14, 63 Stat. 1067; 5 U. S. C. Sup. III 863; 63 Stat. 970; 5 U. S. C. 1142; Public Law 873, 81st Cong.)

(Secs. 11 and 19, 58 Stat. 390, 391; 5 U. S. C. 860, 868. Interprets or applies sec. 8, 64 Stat. 890, sec. 9, 63 Stat. 614; 50 U. S. C. App. and Sup., 308, 459)

PART 22—APPEALS OF PREFERENCE ELIGIBLES UNDER THE VETERANS' PREFERENCE ACT OF 1944

1. Paragraph (b) of § 22.1 is amended to read as follows:

§ 22.1 *Applicability of regulations.* * * *

(b) *Appeals involving performance ratings.* The regulations in this part are

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